

THE PIONEER.

AGRICULTURAL.

The eighth annual meeting of the Ohio State Agricultural Society met at Columbus on Wednesday the 7th instant, and was the largest and most interesting of the kind, yet held in Ohio.

Besides a large number of visitors from all parts of the State, regularly appointed representatives from sixty seven county societies were in attendance. The society was in session two days, and we would gladly publish a report of the entire proceedings if our space would permit. Of the members of the Board Joseph Sullivan Esq. of Franklin and Judge McGraw of Crawford, were re-elected, Col. Medary having positively declined to serve longer.

In addition to the two above named James L. Cox of Muskingum, Buckley Steadman of Cuyahoga and J. K. Greene of Hamilton, were elected members of the Board for the present term. The new Board have since organized by electing Hon. R. W. Musgrave President, Jas. L. Cox Esq. Recording Secretary and Jos. Sullivan Esq. Treasurer, and appointing Dr. George Sprague of Tiffin, corresponding Secretary.

The election of Judge Musgrave is a deserved compliment to his zealous and efficient services in the Board during the past two years. Mr. Cox we don't know but presume we have lost nothing by substituting him for the distinguished self-sustaining, and self-inflating Joe. G. Gest.

Dr. Sprague we do know, and consider his appointment as one emphatically "fit to be made."

From the circular below it will be seen that the Doctor has already entered upon the duties of his new office.

CIRCULAR.

Rooms of Ohio State Board of Agriculture
Columbus December 20, 1853.

With a view to the formation of a "nucleus," around which may hereafter be collected an extensive and interesting Cabinet, containing specimens of most of the Agricultural and Mineral products in Ohio, to be arranged for inspection in the Rooms of the State Board, at Columbus, the undersigned knows of no better means of reaching the farmers of Ohio, than through the medium of the "local press" of the various counties.

He would therefore invite successful competitors at the late County Fair of Wyandot County, and the farmers of the county generally to contribute specimens of Wheat, Corn, Oats, Cloverseed, Timothy Seed, Apples, Potatoes and Wool, depositing the same with the Secretary of their County Society as soon after receiving this Circular as convenient, that specimens may be obtained and arranged by the time of the next regular meeting of the Board, which will commence on the 17th of next month, (January,) to be sent by the Secretary of each County Society, (with models of Farm Implements, and Native Minerals, when these can be procured,) by Express, (or private conveyance, when opportunity offers,) in parcels as follows: Of Wheat, and other small grains and seeds, one pint each. Corn in the ear, one half dozen ears. Two samples each of the various Fruits and Vegetables upon which premiums were awarded, and samples of Wool.

The effort will hereafter be made to obtain a renewal of specimens immediately after the close of the annual County Fairs, to be selected from articles drawing premiums. By this means delegates from County Societies to the annual meetings in December, will have a bird's-eye view of all the County Fairs in Ohio, in the departments of Fruit, Grain, Seeds and Vegetables, as also in the article of Wool. All articles so contributed, being labeled with the name of the producer, (Grains and Seeds in glass jars,) a key will at once be furnished, by which an interchange or purchase of Grains and Vegetables may be made, promising certainty in the results, and laying the foundation for material upon which to base a reciprocal interchange of Grains and Seeds with Agricultural Societies in our own and in foreign countries.

G. SPRAGUE,

Cor. Sec. of S. Board of Agriculture.

REMARKS.—We trust the pride of our farmers will not permit them to remain unrepresented in this museum of the Agricultural productions of Ohio; but that every one having choice specimens of the products enumerated will forward them at once.

What the Sister Arts Teach as to Farming.—An address before the Indiana State Agricultural Society, Oct. 13th, 1853, by Horace Greeley. New York Fowler & Wells publishers 131 Nassau st. Price 6 cents per copy. We have received from the publishers a copy of the above beautifully printed pamphlet. Having shown our appreciation of the address by publishing it entire in our columns, we make the above announcement for the benefit of its thousand admirers, who may wish to procure a copy suitable for preservation.

Sheep, when fattening, should not be fed oftener than three times a day, viz., morning, noon, and evening. In the intervals between feedings, they may fill themselves well, and will have time sufficient for rumination and digestion; these processes are interrupted by too frequent feeding. But they should be fed with regularity, both as to quantity of food, and the time when it is given.

At the Hampton Fair there were 50 yoke of oxen exhibited, the average weight of which was 3,994 lbs. per pair. The heaviest pair weighed 4,600 lbs., and the lightest 3,040.

PROSPECTS OF THE WYANDOT PIONEER.

In view of the rapidly improving condition of the county of Wyandot and town of Upper Sandusky, and for other reasons not necessary to be mentioned, I have purchased a new press, type and other printing material for the enlargement of the PIONEER. It is my intention to attempt to get up a large and neat paper as any one printed in any of the adjoining counties; and in so doing, I shall have to look to the citizens of the county for the support necessary for its continuance. The liberality of the people will, therefore, determine the success and publication of the paper, and it will be expected that each man interested in the future growth and prosperity of Wyandot county will freely lend his aid in securing subscribers.

The PIONEER, in politics, will be Democratic and at the same time, claim nothing for itself that will not be extended to others. While the editor has his peculiar notions of political and other matters, he believes that other men have alike privileges to their opinions. Although I may publish a political paper, it must and will be free from all PARTISAN, and controlled alone by the editor. When I say this, it is not my intention to say that the advice of friends will not be received, for I shall, at all times be pleased to counsel with my friends upon all matters pertaining to the best interests of our county and the publication of the paper. If however, I might differ with others in opinion, that difference can alone be changed by a full conviction of my error.

The FARMER shall not be neglected, as a good portion of the Pioneer will be devoted to his, and at the same time, claim nothing for itself that will not be extended to others. While the editor has his peculiar notions of political and other matters, he believes that other men have alike privileges to their opinions. Although I may publish a political paper, it must and will be free from all PARTISAN, and controlled alone by the editor. When I say this, it is not my intention to say that the advice of friends will not be received, for I shall, at all times be pleased to counsel with my friends upon all matters pertaining to the best interests of our county and the publication of the paper. If however, I might differ with others in opinion, that difference can alone be changed by a full conviction of my error.

The mechanic and laborer will always find the columns of this paper open for the defence of their rights and the advancement of their prosperity. In fact all classes will find our paper ready to vindicate every thing calculated to promote the greatest good to the greatest number.

With this exposition of what the Pioneer will be, I ask every gentleman, who can, to come up and subscribe, and get as many more as he can to do likewise. The prosperity of every town and county depends more or less upon the paper of the county; and that the paper may be what it ought to be, let it have a good living support.

JOHN ORRICK.—The selection of job type in the Pioneer office being large, job work of every description will be neatly and expeditiously executed, at low prices.

The following rates and charges will in every particular be strictly observed, and it would therefore be well for subscribers to observe these rules:

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Attorney and Counselor at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery. Special attention given to collection cases. Partition of Lands, settlement of Estates of deceased persons, drawing deeds, mortgages, Power of Attorney, &c.
Upper Sandusky, April 1st, 1853. n1-4f.

BERRY & DENNISON,
Attorneys at Law, and Solicitors in Chancery.—Will give prompt attention to business in Wyandot and adjoining counties. Office directly opposite the Court House.
Upper Sandusky, April 1st, 1853. n1-4f.

R. MCKELLY,
Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery.—Office in the Sheriff's Office.
Upper Sandusky, June 20th, 1853. n9.

J. D. SEARS,
Attorney at Law, Upper Sandusky, Ohio. Office in the Sheriff's Office, opposite the Court House.
Upper Sandusky, June 20th, 1853. n9-4f.

PIERSON HOUSE,
By W. J. MARSHALL, Main street, south of the Court House and the green tree, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.
n10-12f.

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Health, Life, Stock, Fire and Marine Insurance Agency, from which may be selected the choice of any loss, now doing business in the State of Ohio. M. S. HOSKINS, Agent, Tiffin and Upper Sandusky. n25-4f.

PROTECTION INSURANCE COMPANY
Annual premiums, Capital stock and Surplus Fund \$1,000,000. Policies issued on the most favorable terms. J. C. ROSS, Agent at Upper Sandusky, Ohio.
June 24th, 1853. n9.

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Merchants Tailors, and Dealers in all kinds of Ready Made Clothing, Shirts, Waist Coats, Hosiery, &c. &c. Main street, N. E. & Pierson Block, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.
Nov. 14th, 1853. n27-4f.

B. S. GROSS & CO.,
Dealer in Books, Stationery and Fancy Notions, and a General Retailer, Tiffin, Ohio.
sept17-n21.

WILLIAM NOWELL,
Merchant Tailor, and dealer in Gentlemen's Furnishings, and Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Collars, &c. &c. Main street, N. E. & Pierson Block, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.
nov26-4f.

DR. M. J. BOWLAND,
Formerly of Mansfield, a graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, would respectfully offer his professional services to the citizens of Upper Sandusky and vicinity.—His Office, in the room formerly occupied by Mr. Huntly, and nearly opposite H. C. Sigler's Residence, for the present, Room No. 22, Pierson House. n28-6m.

PIANO FORTES, &c.
D. BARNHART, Jr.
PIANO ROOMS, ONE DOOR NORTH OF GRAFF'S HEAD-QUARTERS.

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM THE
East with a heavy stock of Pianos, of the first class, and at very low prices. The time and of the highest tone and finish.
W. T. GILES.
Upper Sandusky, June 20th, 1853.

THE WYANDOT PIONEER.
W. T. GILES,
EDITOR, PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.

The PIONEER is published every Thursday evening, on the corner of Sandusky and Wyandot Avenues, up stairs, in Ayres' new fire-proof brick.

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